

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UZOMA GOGO NWAKUCHE and KEGO EGBUONU,	No. 03-0848 CW
Plaintiffs,	ORDER STRIKING
v.	PLAINTIFFS'
REGNERY PUBLISHING, INC. and KENNETH	CROSS-MOTION FOR
R. TIMMERMAN,	SUMMARY JUDGMENT
Defendants.	AND SETTING
	BRIEFING SCHEDULE

Plaintiffs Uzoma Gogo Nwakuche and Kego Egbuonu and Defendants Regnery Publishing, Inc., and Kenneth R. Timmerman have filed separate and concurrent motions for summary judgment. Such simultaneous filings violate the Court's standing orders, which state that cross or counter-motions "shall be contained within the opposition to any motion for summary judgment and shall conform with Civil L.R. 7-3." Accordingly, the Court sua sponte strikes Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment and sets the following revised briefing schedule. Plaintiffs shall file a combined opposition and cross-motion on February 17, 2006; Defendants' opposition and reply will be due on February 24; and Plaintiffs' reply will be due on March 3. The matters will be heard on March 17, 2006; the March 10 hearing date is hereby VACATED.

Evidentiary and procedural objections should also be contained

1 within the allowed briefing rather than in separate motions to
2 strike.

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4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

5 2/7/06

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CLAUDIA WILKEN
United States District Judge